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Candidate Statement of Qualifications

CITY OF: _____ **Lake Forest** _____

OFFICE SOUGHT: _____ **Council Member** _____

WARD/DISTRICT #: _____ **N/A** _____ (if applicable)

NAME: _____ **THOMAS R. CAGLEY** _____

AGE: _____
(Optional)

OCCUPATION: _____ **Retired Military Officer** _____

After the honor of serving in the U.S. Army, Military Intelligence, for over 30 years, I retired as a colonel. My military training and duties focused on the Soviet Union. This was a thoroughly enjoyable career, along with appreciating the benefit of graduating from the Army War College, serving in several senior staff positions and being selected for two colonel commands. Since retiring I have worked in many positions as project manager for public and private construction projects, and have had training to develop methods to provide disaster mitigation following natural disasters, which included upgrading various facilities. This provided me with considerable knowledge of assisting local governments recovering from disasters, planning and construction. Based on this knowledge, I drafted a Disaster Wildfire Mitigation Manual for home owners. This past year I have served as a member of the OC Grand Jury as chairman of the Cities committee. This has provided considerable knowledge of how the 34 cities and 25 county agencies function. I am active in church and various charitable organizations as well as VFW and AFIO. I offer this rich and varied background in experience and leadership qualities to the City Council.

INSTRUCTIONS: (Elections Code § 13307)

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Date _____

Candidate's Signature

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